

Houghton Department

TELEPHONE SOUTH 19.

HOUGHTON WOMAN FOUND SUFFERING FROM NAUSTALGIA

Doctor Summoned Says She Must
Have Company or Disease
May be Fatal.

SHE TELLS HER SAD STORY

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A Houghton doctor, who thinks it unethical to have his name appear in the newspapers unnecessarily, has recently discovered a bad case of homesickness, or, as it is sometimes called, naustalgia, in the center of the village and, although the patient is somewhat better than she was when he was called to attend her, he is of the opinion that she will never be more well unless she goes to a place where she has some friends or acquaintances or else succeeds in melting some of her neighbors sufficiently to permit them to call upon her.

From the telling of this story by the doctor to a friend the address of the woman in question was ascertained and a representative of The News called to see her. She was washing the evening dishes when the self-appointed investigator of Houghton hospitalities rang the door bell, so her husband opened the door for the caller. In a little while the victim of naustalgia came into the parlor and, after much urging and being assured that her name would not appear in the paper, she told the following story.

No Callers in Five Months.

"We moved to Houghton nearly five months ago and took up our home in this house at once. The first week or so I was busy with the settling and did not notice that I was lonesome or that anything was out of the ordinary. At the end of the second week I had gotten my house in good order and was really living and enjoying life after the strenuous times of getting unpacked and settled down.

"Up to this time I had been somewhat afraid that some of my new neighbors would call upon me before I had things in order and so I was congratulating myself on what I at that time thought was their great thoughtfulness and consideration. I have since learned that I had little reason to be alarmed for not one soul has been here to call up to this time and the only woman I know by sight is the one who lives in this house right next to ours. I only know her from seeing her in the yard when we each happened to be out in the yard at the same time.

By this time the woman had become warmed to her subject and she continued, "This woman appears to be very pleasant and thoroughly respectable and one day she even became so interested as to ask me how I like Houghton. I told her that I didn't like it a little and she asked me why. I replied that I was terribly lonesome and she seemed real sorry and, to my great astonishment, said, 'Why, that's too bad, you shall come over and visit with us.' I thanked her for the invitation but I have not called upon her.

Houghton 'Chilliest' Place.

"I have lived in several places, especially in the east, and was in Philadelphia before coming here, but I have never seen a place, even in the big cities like New York, Washington and Baltimore, where the people are so 'chilly' as in this town. My husband goes to work quite early in the morning and the only people I see all day are the tradespeople who come to my door and even their calls help somewhat to relieve the strain. I really think I should have been much more ill if it had not been for these people coming to break the awful monotony.

"Then I got so sick one day that my husband had to come and he told me that the only thing that would help me was that I was lonesome and that I should get out and get acquainted. I never have yet gone out looking for acquaintances and I shall not start now. We are going to give up the house soon and go to boarding and then maybe I will feel better but if I do not I shall get on a train and go to visit for a time with friends in the east."

John Grigovich, infant of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grigovich of Atlantic is dead and the funeral will be held tomorrow morning from the church in Atlantic to Forest Hill cemetery in Houghton.

KIDNEYS WILL ACT FINE AND BACK-ACHE GOES AFTER TAKING JUST A FEW DOSES

Out-of-Order Kidneys are Regulated
and the Most Severe Bladder Misery
Vanishes—No Man or Woman Here
in Calumet Can Afford to Neglect
Even the Slightest Kidney Disorder.

Out-of-order kidneys act fine and backache or bladder misery is relieved after a few doses of Pape's Diuretic. Pains in the back, sides or loins, rheumatic twinges, debilitating headache, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness, inflamed or swollen eyelids, agonizing feeling and many other symptoms of clogged, inactive kidneys simply vanish.

Frequent painful and uncontrollable urination due to a weak or irritable bladder is promptly overcome.

The moment you suspect any kidney disorder or urinary disorder, or feel rheumatism coming, begin taking this harmless remedy, with the knowledge that there is no other medicine, at any

HOUGHTON BEATS CALUMET IN FAST HOCKEY GAME

Local Players Furnish Best Exhibition of Sport So Far
This Season.

SMALL CROWD SEES CONTEST

In spite of the fact that the Calumet team was beaten by the overwhelming score of 12 to 2 by the Houghton players in the Amphidrome last night, it was a mighty interesting contest, full of action from beginning to end. The line was fast and the local team, the line-up of which had been changed just before the players appeared, never during the present season have exhibited such systematic team playing as in the game last night. They played a superior game to the visitors from start to finish. The Calumet team seemed to be in very poor form, even the invincible Linder making a very poor showing in comparison with his achievements in former contests.

The game had been in progress less than three minutes when Clotte and Mahan took the puck down and Haas rushed up in time to score the goal. Shortly after this Kaiser and Mahan mixed and were put on the bench. While they were perched there Trathorn and Clotte worked a combination for the second goal. Solomon then went to the bench for a misdemeanor and shortly Mahan added another tally to Houghton's credit. The making of these three scores had consumed about nine minutes and within the next fifteen minutes three more goals were gained by Haas, Mahan, and Haas again. One minute before the first section of the game-terminated Reynolds succeeded in putting the puck into Houghton's goal for the first time.

The Second Half of Game.

Reynolds scored the only other tally of the game to be credited on the Calumet side after 12 minutes of play and then Houghton made another six tallies in the following order: Haas, 14 minutes; Haas, 14 minutes and 35 seconds; McCurdy and Haas, 15 minutes; Clotte and Haas, 19 minutes; ditto, 3 minutes later and Mahan at the end of 25 minutes. After this it was not possible for either side to score and the game ended with the score 12 to 2.

During the last period of the game there were several little mix-ups on the part of the players and several were allowed to cool off on the bench. One of these looked for a time as if it would terminate in a small riot but the officials interfered and Kaiser and Mahan went on the bench. Linder was also on the bench once during this half and Haas twice. One of the prettiest shots seen in Amphidrome this season was made by Haas when he shot the puck for Houghton's eighth score from near the center of the ice. The goal that Reynolds made in this half was also a fine example of individual effort.

Shields was referee and Billy Mahan judge of play. The goal umpires were Wivel and Pryor and the timers Des Rochers and Ward.

LOCAL MILITIA WILL CAMP.

Capt. Foley Pleaded That Men Will Have Chance to Attend Maneuvers.

Capt. Martin Foley is much pleased at the prospect of the local militiamen engaging in the maneuvers of the regular army at Sparta, Wis., the coming summer. He has planned a little outing for the boys of the company after the meet and yesterday said: "After the encampment I can take the company to Milwaukee and turn them loose for a good time for a couple of days. This matter of all work and no play is not good for the militiamen any more than any one else and the boys lose interest if the camp trip means work and nothing else. Hereafter we took a train through the woods to Manitowish and then a boat across the lake and after ten days in camp came back over the same route with no chance for the boys to have a little time to themselves. The camp trip is the only vacation many of

them got and I want them to have a little actual vacation out of it."

The government has decided to hold the encampment at Sparta in preference to either Ludington or Indianapolis, both of which places wanted the honor of entertaining the soldiery, and the state military board in session at Grand Rapids last week decided that the state soldiers should attend, although Col. Cox expressed the opinion just before leaving Houghton that attending that meeting that he thought the state could not afford the expense at this time.

COUNCIL MONDAY NIGHT WILL FIX CAUCUS DATE

The Houghton council will meet at village hall Monday night in the last meeting under the present organization. The principal business to come before the meeting will be the arranging for the coming village election and setting the date for the holding of the caucus.

At this caucus will be selected the candidates for village treasurer and one trustee, Mr. Gray having announced that he will not be a candidate again. In the race for treasurer three candidates have presented their names for the consideration of the voters. These are Otto Obenhoff, Joseph Schnitzer and James Thomas and it looks as if this would develop the only real contest of the forth-coming caucus.

HOUGHTON GETS CONVENTION.

Episcopal Churches of Diocese to Meet Here in September.

Rev. J. E. Curzon, pastor of Trinity church, has received word that the convention of the church for this diocese is to be held in Houghton next September. The diocese includes the entire upper peninsula and the convention will be presided over by the bishop of the diocese, Rt. Rev. G. Mott Williams of Marquette.

Rev. Curzon holds one of the most important offices in the diocesan organization, being chairman of the standing committee of the diocese. There are twenty churches in the district and it is expected that each of these will send several delegates, both from the ordained members and the laymen of the church to this convention.

The sessions of the convention will be held in the chapel of Trinity's new structure, which will be formally consecrated by Bishop Williams during the convocation.

FARMERS WANT SERVICE.

Supt. Nash of the Houghton County Electric Light company has received for the farmers living in and about Oskar a petition asking that the company extend its lines to Oskar and furnish them with electricity for light and power purposes. The petition is being considered by the officers of the company and if they can see a profit in the future they will extend their lines from the county infirmary, the distance being about four miles. The charcoal and dairy establishment of Burkman at Oskar and other institutions say that they will use enough of power and light to make the venture profitable to the company.

KOSKELA-STEINBACK CASE.

Damage Action Continues Before Circuit Court—Will Finish Monday.

The damage suit of Sophia Koskela against John Steinback engaged the attention of the circuit court in Houghton all this morning and the judge adjourned the court at noon because it was apparent that the case could not be finished and the judge was unwilling to lock the jury up over Sunday. Mr. Koskela was the principal witness examined during the morning and his testimony, which is considered very vital in the case, was rather hard to get, it being necessary to use an interpreter throughout. This is the last of the list of jury cases to be heard at the present term of court.

SECOND PAPERS ASKED.

Five aliens have filed with County Clerk Richardson their applications for the granting of second papers in citizenship. The applicants with their native country, present place of abode, port of entry and date of the same are as follows: Charles Paliosotti, Italy, Calumet, New York, 1899; Simon Danofsky, Russia, Hancock, New York, 1898; Harry Edmonds, Matthews, England, New York, 1904; John Rowe, England, Laurium, New York, 1892; Samuel Rowland, Scotland, Kearsarge, New York, 1904.

MINING COLLEGE WINS.

The basketball team of the Michigan College of Mines played against the team of the Calumet Y. M. C. A. at the gymnasium of the school last night and were victorious over the visitors by a score of 41 to 15. It was a very pretty and interesting contest throughout, the teams being rather evenly matched, but the college boys showed the greater skill in throwing goals in their own hall.

The next game for the college will be next Friday when they will meet the fast team from Crystal Falls.

ORATORY POSTPONED.

The fitness of one of contestants in the high school oratorical and declamation contests to take place at the Houghton school yesterday afternoon has caused the faculty to postpone the event until Wednesday afternoon. At this time will be chosen the ones who will meet in the final competition to select the school orator to compete with other schools in a big interschool contest next month at Amphidrome.

\$3.50 Recipe Cures Weak Kidneys, Free

Relieves Urinary and Kidney Troubles,
Backache, Straining,
Swelling, Etc.

STOPS PAIN IN THE BLADDER, KIDNEYS AND BACK.

Wouldn't it be nice within a week or so to begin to say goodbye forever to the scalding, dribbling, straining, or too frequent passage of urine; the forehead and the back-of-the-head aches; the stitches and pains in the back; the growing muscle weakness; aches before the eyes; yellow skin; sluggish bowels; swollen eyelids or ankles; leg cramps; unnatural short breath; sleeplessness and the despondency?

I have a recipe for these troubles that you can depend on, and if you want to make a quick recovery, you ought to write and get a copy of it. Many a doctor would charge you \$3.50 just for writing this prescription, but I have it and will be glad to send it to you entirely free. Just drop me a line like this: Dr. A. E. Robinson, K1067 Luck Building, Detroit, Mich., and I will send it by return mail in a plain envelope. As you will see when you get it, this recipe contains only pure harmless remedies, but it has great healing and pain-conquering power.

It will quickly show its power once you use it, so I think you had better see what it is without delay. I will send you a copy free—you can use it and cure yourself at home.

HICKS STAYS IN LANSING.

Rev. William C. Hicks, formerly of Grace M. E. church in Houghton, and now of St. Paul's Episcopal church in Lansing, has refused the call to the pulpit of an Episcopal church in New Castle, Pa., the offer of which pastorate was told in these columns several days ago. Rev. Hicks, in the announcement of his decision to his flock, made no request that his salary be increased to compensate for the much larger amount he would have received at New Castle, but simply said that he feared that if he were to leave his present parish at this time the work of securing a new edifice for St. Paul's, which he has been prosecuting vigorously, would receive a serious setback.

HOUGHTON BREVITIES.

Joseph Curtis, treasurer for the village of Red Jacket, today sent to Treasurer Rashleigh the tax lists for the village.

County Clerk Richardson has issued licenses to marry to the following: Charles Alaniva and Sadie Nopola of Redridge; David Salsast and Mrs. Hilma Hirvola, both of Houghton.

Mrs. Johnson Vivian has received her new 60-horsepower Stearns touring car. It was purchased through Agent Courtney Pryor.

The members of the Houghton Light Infantry have been summoned to meet at the armory at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon to attend the funeral of Arthur Warren of Hancock, who will be buried with military ceremonies, he having been a member of the company.

R. R. Seiber of Winona has received a telegram from Detroit announcing that Mrs. Seiber, who is visiting in that city, has given birth to a son.

The interior woodwork of the Douglas house is being refinished.

Supt. Foley has just about finished the task of taking about ten inches of the hard packed snow from the surface of Sheldon street in the principal part of that thoroughfare.

Captain Wilcox, who has resigned the superintendency of the Mass., is one of the best known mining men in the copper country, having been engaged in mining operations in this district almost all his life. He was raised in Calumet and served in several mines until he formed a partnership with Joseph Funky of Hancock and worked the Wolverine on tribute. He later went into the iron country but later returned to act in an official capacity for the old Arcadian company. This was in 1899 and his connection with that company lasted only about a year, since which time he has been with the Maga company.

True Courage.

The bravery founded on hope of recompense, fear of punishment, experience of success, on rage, or on ignorance of danger, is but common bravado, and does not deserve the name. True bravery proposes a just end; measures the dangers, and meets the result with calmness and unyielding decision.

Out of Man's Reach.

The old may have their years stretched out beyond the fourscore, but they must die sooner or later; no such necessary limit affects the births, and it is conceivable that there may come a year when there are no births. Immortality is the only effective answer to a cessation of reproduction, and, alas! the King of Terrors still reigns.

Education Never Stops.

Get all the education you can but never remove yourself from the idea that after you know a lot you still have more to learn. When you graduate from college you are just beginning to understand many themes and subjects that are most important.

While it is often impossible to prevent an accident, it is never impossible to be prepared—it is not beyond any one's power. Invest 25 cents in a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and you are prepared for sprains, bruises and like injuries. Sold by Eagle Drug Store, Calumet, and Laurium Pharmacy, Laurium.

CURRENT GOSSIP OF THE COPPERS

J. A. Minnear & Co.

THE STOCK MARKET—

The announcement of some large sales of copper this week stimulated the copper share market to a degree and caused an advance in quotations. The situation is far from being relieved of its complexity, while conditions generally favor a higher range of prices, we look for a rather dragging market with the tendency upward, and with interest confined largely to specialties.

The Tobacco decision will not be announced until about the middle of next month, so it is now believed, until this is received the situation will continue to be somewhat tense. The Supreme court will probably decide unfavorably, but its decision will undoubtedly be modified with suggestions of some kind.

In the New York market there are a number of issues which are now selling at a figure returning dividends sufficiently large to make them fairly attractive, particularly so when long time money can be obtained for a lower rate than the returns on these stocks. As long as this condition exists no break of material consequence can be expected.

The Lake Superior copper stocks now have the call. The buying of this class of securities is based on the fact that there is greater stability among the Lake producers than those in any other group. Strikes, curtailments, etc., do not affect the local group to any degree, as these conditions are seldom met with in the group. For the present, we believe, purchases made should be confined to this class of stocks, and it bought on breaks ought to show a fair profit. We will undoubtedly have a traders' market to a considerable degree for several weeks to come.

THE METAL MARKET—

There were several large sales of copper reported this week, the business running well above 20,000,000 pounds, so it is said. A sale of a round lot of Lake copper was reported at 13 1/2, although this is considered slightly higher than the present market. Further inquiry for considerable metal is being noted.

The Butte situation has been considerably relieved, and by next week most of the mines in that district will be producing more nearly normal. February production is reported to be about 15,000,000 pounds for Butte, a total much lower than reported in years. While this camp is curtailing, it has been insufficient to materially effect the situation. Production of the world's copper mines in round figures equals 6,000,000 pounds per day with an actual consumption of only 5,000,000 pounds. An increase in the consumption figures is expected.

February statistics will undoubtedly show a further decrease in the surplus stock of copper in this country, but it will not reach January's record. Copper exports continue heavy.

ADVENTURE—

The annual report of the Adventure has been submitted to shareholders. On the whole the affairs of this company have not been conducted in the past with any success and shareholders of late have not spared any effort to make their opinions public. No mismanagement is charged, although it is claimed that with the same opportunities and money available another board more versed in mining could have easily proven the value of the company's property.

The annual report shows a balance of assets of only \$1,284, but as this covered the year ending Dec. 31, 1909, it did not include the recent assessment. It is hoped with the money available by the call the company will be in shape to develop a mine or determine that its property from a mining standpoint has only slight prospects.

The report states that upon the results of diamond drilling a shaft was started to intercept lodes No. 1 and 2 cut in diamond drilling at a depth of 700 and 1420 feet respectively. Neither lode showed copper. Lode No. 3 cut at 1573 feet disclosed a little copper. This diamond drilling has given a cross-section of nearly the entire width of the property and has shown the existence of three amygdaloid lodes known as Nos. 1, 2 and 3, which at points showed encouraging amounts of the metal. To sum up the situation No. 1 lode showed heavy copper in hole No. 5, a little fine copper in hole No. 6, some copper in No. 7 hole, and none in No. 19. Lode No. 3 showed well in both mass and stamp rock in hole No. 6 and some copper in holes No. 7 and 10. It is expected that No. 1 lode will be cut in the new shaft being sunk, at a depth of 900 feet, while the other two lodes lie deeper.

Considerable work was done on the outcrop of the new Mass lode, so the report states, with fair results. Crosscuts were driven in the old mine from the Evergreen vein at the end of No. 1 tunnel, and on the shaft being sunk, at a depth of 900 feet, while the other two lodes lie deeper.

LAKE COPPER—

Just why there should have been some drastic selling when the Lake company announced the returns of the last mill run at the Franklin mill is hard to say. An analysis of the figures shows that the returns ran up to 34 pounds of mineral to the 2,967 tons of rock stamped. This mineral will run about 24 per cent. refined copper. Carried out Lake rock in the last mill test gave 25.16 pounds of refined copper to the ton of rock.

True, there were many shareholders who had hoped that the results of the first run would be maintained. If there were any, or still are some, who believe such a condition is possible without great selection of rock, it would be well for them to now learn the error of their hope. With slightly better than 25 pounds of refined copper, Lake is ranked only by such producers as Calumet and Hecla and Wolverine. If it can maintain this record shareholders will have every reason to congratulate themselves. It is doing better than Ahmeek, the sensation of the Lake Superior district.

The announcement of the figures this week indicated a return of 41 pounds of mineral, but this included the runs made in November and also last month. The figures above given are for the long run concluded Feb. 21. It is understood that in the last run some rock was stamped which was taken from the new epidote vein, not as rich as the original Lake vein.

Lake will probably make another mill run to the Franklin stamps soon, and the results will be watched with more than passing interest. The management is

coming in for much commendation in making these runs without any effort to select rock stamped. It is giving shareholders an opportunity of ascertaining what may be expected from future operations. While we have always regarded the Lake as a property of unquestioned merit, we have held to the fact that it was selling too high, and still believe this is true in view of the great amount of work yet necessary to class the property with such mines as Ahmeek, Wolverine, etc. Stockholders, though, have no cause for complaint if the mine is able to show 25 pounds of copper to the ton of rock stamped. We would much rather see this figure maintained than have a report of twice this amount, for there is a certainty that present results are more of a positive nature than any much higher figure could be.

CALUMET AND ARIZONA—

Calumet and Arizona directors are now scheduled to meet Monday, Feb. 28, when action will be taken on the dividend for the quarter. A director of the company stated to the writer that there is little likelihood of any change being made in the rate, although in some sources an increase is looked for making the dividend \$1.50 per share. This is entirely unlikely in view of the continued unsatisfactory state of the metal market.

While it is true that the company is now earning much better than dividend requirements as was explained by a director of the company, an increase at this time would be unwarranted, because there is no assurance of the stability of copper prices. Calumet and Arizona has sold its copper for some time ago and has secured what is believed a very good price for this metal. Another three months may find business conditions unsettled to a degree making a reduction of the dividend again should a raise be made at this time. To give stability to the disbursement conservatism must be shown.

Late developments at the C. and A. mine have been very encouraging particularly at the Oliver shaft. A large ore body was opened up at the 1350-foot level, and indications strongly point to a continuance of this deposit to the level below.

SUPERIOR AND PITTSBURG—

Superior and Pittsburg is shaking in its Briggs shaft and finds no trouble whatever with water. The Houston and Junction shafts are shipping regularly, and should such a step be deemed advisable it would be possible to easily increase the output thirty per cent. Rumors of a change in management continue to be freely circulated, and while denied by directors of the company, it is believed that after the annual meeting next month there will be developments along this line affecting both S. and P. and Calumet and Arizona.

It may not be generally known, but the Oliver interests of Pittsburg are the largest shareholders in Superior and Pittsburg, holding about 95,000 shares of the stock. C. A. Congdon ranks second and President Charles Briggs is the third largest shareholder. Mr. Congdon who is a director of the company, accumulated a long line of the stock in the break about two years ago, and holds about 50,000 shares, while Mr. Briggs' holdings run close to that figure.

OSCEOLA CONSOLIDATED—

It is understood that after March 1 and continuing for at least three months the two shafts at the old Osceola branch will be closed down. Ostensibly this will be for the purpose of making some repairs to the two shafts, though it is generally understood that this was not the sole object which prompted the decision.

The two shafts, Nos. 5 and 6, require some attention, but were conditions such as to make it desirable to get out as much copper as was possible, it would be likely that Osceola would close only one shaft at a time, or else arrange to do the repair work at intervals which would not interrupt production for any great length of time.

There are probably three contributing causes for the cessation of work at the two shafts in question. One concerns the labor situation, a second the desire to repair the shafts, and the third the general idea of curtailment of production.

The two shafts to be closed have been shipping regularly about 1,600 tons of ore per day. This came entirely from the Osceola amygdaloid. This vein is more costly to mine than the Kearsarge, which is receiving attention at other portions of Osceola's holdings. Not only is this true but the mineral contents run considerably higher in the Kearsarge rock. This is a contributory factor likewise in the policy of curtailment as it was a factor in operations at Tamarack. At the Tamarack the Osceola vein workings were abandoned for the time and all work centered on the Calumet conglomerate because of the lower costs of mining the conglomerate lode. The closing of the two shafts at the Osceola will throw out of employment temporarily, at least, about 500 men.

Considerable conjecture has arisen as to the effect of this plan of Osceola. In analyzing the situation it becomes quite apparent that the company's production will be reduced probably by fifteen or twenty per cent. In the event that no curtailment is desired production at a normal rate could probably be maintained by pushing production from the five shafts operating in the Kearsarge lode.

Osceola's earnings as a consequence of closing down No. 5 and 6 shafts should show no material difference. It is estimated that the cost of production of copper from the Osceola lode is very close to the price obtained for the metal. Osceola will be able to earn dividend requirements even with the coming curtailment if copper sells above thirteen cents per pound. The stock is to be regarded as probably the cheapest investment issue in the Lake district.

COPPER RANGE—

The directors of Copper Range this week announced the regular quarterly dividend of \$1 per share. No change in the rate was expected, so that the action had no material effect on the selling price of the stock. The company is now doing slightly better than earn present dividend requirements. No increased dividend can be looked for until copper sells close to fifteen cents per pound.

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